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TAGS: SOPN, FR, US  
SUBJ: FRENCH JOURNALIST REQUESTS INTERVIEW WITH PRESIDENT CARTER

1. FRENCH JOURNALIST JEAN-PAUL LIEGEOIS TODAY REQUESTED ASSISTANCE  
IN OBTAINING AN INTERVIEW WITH PRESIDENT CARTER IN WASHINGTON  
SOMETIME IN JULY. LIEGEOIS TOLD ME HE WORKS FOR FRENCH SOCIALIST  
PARTY NEWSPAPER L'UNITE WHICH HAS ASSIGNED HIM TO COVER FRANCOIS  
MITTERAND'S ANTICIPATED VISIT TO THE US NEXT MONTH.  
LIEGEOIS IS PRESENTLY IN QUEBEC DOING A SERIES OF ARTICLES ON THE  
PQ GOVERNMENT.

2. INTERVIEW WITH PRESIDENT, IF ACCORDED, NATURALLY WOULD  
BE AT PRESIDENT'S CONVENIENCE AND IN A FORMAT AGREEABLE TO THE  
WHITE HOUSE. LIEGEOIS SAID HE WOULD BE PLEASED TO SUBMIT  
QUESTIONS BEFOREHAND. SUBJECTS HE MENTIONED AS INTERESTING HIS  
EDITOR INCLUDED: US ATTITUDES TOWARDS FRENCH SOCIALISTS'  
FRONT ARRANGEMENT WITH COMMUNISTS; AMERICAN VIEW OF POLITICAL  
SITUATION IN ITALY; AND STATE OF FRANCO-AMERICAN RELATIONS.

3. COMMENT: LIEGEOIS EXPECTS TO REMAIN IN QUEBEC PROVINCE  
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FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS, THROUGH JULY 7. RESPONSE TO HIS REQUEST  
MAY BE TRANSMITTED THROUGH THIS CONSULATE GENERAL. LIEGEOIS'  
BONA FIDES AS REPRESENTATIVE OF L'UNITE WERE CONFIRMED BY GOQ  
OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE FOR "AMERICAN AFFAIRS". HOWEVER, EMBASSY  
PARIS MIGHT WISH TO CONFIRM HIS CREDENTIALS AND GIVE OPINION  
ON HIS PROFESSIONAL REPUTATION.  
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